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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the Muncie Southside High School marching band.

*Whereas, The Muncie Southside High School "Spirit of the South" marching band is no stranger to the victory podium at the Indiana State Fair Band Day competition;*

*Whereas, Since 2000, Southside High School has won six Indiana State Fair Band Day championships - 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, and 2008;*

*Whereas, In the years the band did not win, the "Spirit of the South" placed second;*

*Whereas, To prepare for the State Fair Band Day contest, Southside competes in five contests sponsored by the Central Indiana Track Show Association and, since 2000, has placed first over 30 times in these contests;*

*Whereas, In addition to the marching band, the concert bands have also enjoyed success over the last ten years, achieving ten Gold ratings at Indiana State School Music Association festivals;*

*Whereas, The Southside marching band is directed by Joe Polo, who took over the band in 2006;*

*Whereas, Before the arrival of Mr. Polo, the band was directed by Chuck Reynolds, who still plays an active role with the band during the summer months; and*



*Whereas, It is fitting that the accomplishments of the Muncie Southside High School marching band be given additional recognition: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:*

- 1       SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the
- 2       Muncie Southside High School "Spirit of the South" marching band for
- 3       this year's victory at the Indiana State Fair Band Day and wishes the
- 4       band members continued success in all their future endeavors.
- 5       SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 6       Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the band members;
- 7       Band Director Joe Polo; staff members Chuck Reynolds, Rhonda
- 8       Reynolds, and Sean Sumwalt; Principal Rebecca M. Thompson; and
- 9       Superintendent Dr. Eric King.

